TIMES-VIRGINIAN

Established 1907

"In the Heart of the Dark Tobacco Belt"

$1.50 per annum in advance

Notify at once of failure to receive paper promptly and regularly.

Entered at the Post-Office at Appomattox, Va., as second-class matter under act of Congress.

Communications must be accompanied by name and address of writer. Unsolicited manuscripts will not be returned unless accompanied by postage.

ADVERTISING RATES: Reading notices 10c line of five words for each insertion.

Classified advertisements 1c per word each insertion.

Display Advertisements—50c per inch first insertion and 25c per inch for each subsequent insertion.

Legal Advertisements—25c per inch each insertion for four weeks

A H CLEMENT, Editor.

THURSDAY, AUG. 18, 1927

Come on ye disconsolate enter Appomattox politics and pass on into oblivion.

President Coolidge does not choose to be President again. The President hasn't been anywhere, or hasn't seen anything until he surveys the political field of Appomattox.

Election contests have been filed in Campbell County asking that the primary be declared void. The petitioners declare especially that election of treasurer, sheriff and commissioner were improperly conducted. Appears from the reading of the petition that the Appomattox plague has spread over the line into Campbell.

That was a beautiful appeal of the organization candidates to the unsophisticated voter asking him to disfranchise himself and vote for the short ballot candidate against the man who stood for the freedom of the ballot. Voters will have another chance to vote directly for or against the short ballot. The wonder is if there are 1200 of the faithful voters who will swallow the short ballot because it is one of the governor's economic plans. Better hold fast to all the rights you have. The ballot is the only weapon of defense a politician fears.

As usual in Appomattox politics a S. O. S. call was made on the last leg of the campaign to the organization candidates because the anti-organization candidates asked the court to correct a grevious mistake in mailing out improper and misleading mail ballots alleged to have been done unintentionally. Upon a plea of guilty the anti-candidates asked that ONE ballot of the organization be shown that was voted illegally and the claim of unintentional wrong would have the right color. The election judges know whether there were any ballots of the organization improperly attested or not. These judges, however, counted all mail ballots of otherwise proper, on the grounds that the voter clearly indicated his preference whether properly attested or not. There could be no legal guarantee that this would be done, hence the appeal to a court of Justice to redress the wrong.

ROCKS NEWS

Members of Ever Ready 4 H Club met Saturday night, Aug 13, at Rocks school house. Elbert, Myrle and Emmett Dinkins and Vesta Garrett gave reports of their trip to the District Short Course at Hampden Sidney. Mrs. D. W. Dinkins, Edward Ranson, Jesse Anderson and Mr. R. Hudgins gave reports of their trip to Blacksburg to the State Short Course. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dinkins and Mr. R. B. Hudgins gave reports of their trip to the Farmers Institute at Blacksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ranson and three children, motored to Lynchburg last week-end and visited relatives.

Howard Dickerson of Lynchburg, is visiting Edward and Bass Ranson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Evans, Kathleen Evans, of Evergreen, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R Ranson in Norfolk last week.

Mr. Jim Paris, of Lynchburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hamilton recently. Mr. and Mrs Willie Hamilton were also visitors there at the same time.

Mr. W. J. Almond fell last week and broke several ribs. He is getting on very well.

Mrs. Lawrence Stone, of Lynchburg, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Almond.

Mrs. Alice Terril, of Richmond, is visiting her mother, Mrs. F. A. Mendows.

Plans are now being made for a lawn party Sept. 3rd at Mrs. J. H. Ingle's for the benefit of the parsonage. Everybody come!

STONEWALL

Rev. Senterfit, of Florida, left for his home Monday, he had been the guest of Rev. Caudle and Mrs. Caudle and closed the revival at Hebron Sunday evening after having delivered some wonderful and inspiring messages during the week.

Miss Virginia Carson, of Appomattox, and Miss Elizabeth Carson, of Lynchburg, spent last week with Mrs. Clyde Carson and attended the Hebron revival. The later returned to Lynchburg Sunday accompanied by Miss Virginia Chick, who will spend the week with her.

Miss Alice Street, of Lowesville, visited friends around Hebron last week.

Miss Frances Stratton, accompanied by Misses Anna, Isa and Fannie LeGrand, of Lynchburg, Monday on a motor trip to Richmond, Norfolk, Va. Beach, Washington and other places.

Victor Burnett, of Walnut Cove, N. C., spent the week end with Mrs. Burnett in the home of Mr. T. A. Drinkard.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jacobs, and little daughter, Betty, of Richmond, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stratton. Also Mrs. C. N. Price, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. A. A. Babcock and little daughter, June Starke, visited Mr. Babcock in Gladstone Tuesday and Wednesday.

A few farmers are cutting tobacco this week. So much rain is injuring it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stratton arrived Saturday to spend some time with Mr and Mrs. S. E. Anderson. Mr. Stratton has been in Lynchburg taking treatments from Dr. Atkinson, he is slowly improving.

Supervisor S. E. Anderson, J. P. Whitten and Russel Turner left Wednesday A. M. on a motor trip to Roanoke for a few days.

Mr. Henry Andrews, of Phenix, is the guest of Mr. S. E. Anderson.

Black and White Compose Considered Ultra-Modish

Black and white, black and white, the mode keeps repeating over and over again. The satin model in the picture adopts a bolero styling, for boleros are one of the most important factors in dress design. Of equal style significance is the black satin skirt which uses white for an overblouse.

Old Salt Finds Lump of Ambergris Worth $12,500

Cape May, N. J.—A 28-pound lump of ambergris—nugget gold of the sea—was found about 15 miles off shore here by Jeremiah Pratt, seventy-four year old seaman of the fishing schooner Mary Ann of Gloucester, Mass. The old seaman said he had been offered $15 a pound, or about $12,500 for the find, and another man by a New York syndicate, and intended to use the money to retire and buy a chicken farm.

666

a prescription for

Colds, Grippe, Flu, Dengue, Bilious, Fever and Malaria.

It kills the germs

U. S. MARKET SERVICE COVERS GREAT AREA

Million Dollar Bureau Gives Free Aid to Farmers

Washington.—Every farmer in the United States has access to a million-dollar information bureau.

It is Uncle Sam's market news service operated by congressional appropriation. Daily, throughout the country, it correlates the radio, ocean cables and miles of telephone and telegraph wires in distributing quotations.

Allied with the titanic system, cooperative "listening posts," clearing houses of information, are supervised by the bureau of agriculture economics. The newest such institution has been established in San Francisco, at request of the California Vinyardist association. It will gather data on prices, supply and distribution of grapes.

Lists Number of Carloads.

The information will show the number of carloads of each variety and grade sold at different prices. Railroads will supply figures on the number of cars of each variety of grapes moved to the market. Eastern points will send supplemental reports every 25 hours on shipments received and distributed.

Similar plans for the citrus industry were discussed at a conference here between Secretary of Agriculture Jardine and Florida representatives. Georgia peach growers, and producers of other material crops in all parts of the United States may likewise avail themselves of governmental co-operation during the market season.

"These clearing houses for market information," economists say, "insure an even distribution of products and an even tenor in prices. By knowing where his produce is needed, the shipper is not faced with the probability of a flooded market one day and a glutted one the next. Steady flow to the market solves the problem of individual overproduction and works to a better average price for each grower.

"Through the market news service any part of the country may know exactly how many barrels, bushels or pounds of farm products are rolling to market every hour in the day and the prices offered at all terminal points.

The Network of Wires.

"Compilation of such vast knowledge is made possible through uniform operation of 7,251 miles of government-leased telegraph wires, working 12 hours a day. More than 2,000 market reporters supply detailed information from all principal centers in the United States and abroad. Collected information is obtained from the International Institute at Rome, to which 50 countries subscribe.

"By telephone at 38 relay points and through more than 100 radio stations every individual or institution in the land interested in any manner of produce market reports has constant access to the most complete quotations in the world."

Typhoid Germ Lives Years, Science Learns

San Francisco. — Disease-causing bacteria have many devices to perpetuate their kind in an adverse world. Bacteriologists of the Hooper foundation for medical research, University of California, have shown that tetanus spores may resist the temperature of boiling water for 90 minutes, botulinus in vegetable juices for 5½ hours and those of a closely related but harmless species for 8½ hours. Other workers have proved that typhoid and other organisms may remain alive for years at refrigerator or lower temperatures.

This happy provision of nature—beggy, that is, for the bacteria—constitutes a factor of great danger for man and animals which it is the function of scientific research to obviate, says Dr. George E. Coleman of the Hooper foundation. "The brilliant success," he states, "that has been attained already, in which the experimental use of mice and guinea pigs has played a large part, is constantly being proclaimed by statistical evidence of fewer food poisonings and typhoid fever outbreaks, as well as by increased protection from many of our other microscopic foes."

Totem Pole Reported Floating Down River

 Usk, B. C.—The report that a mysterious totem pole carved with a human figure is floating down the flooded Skeena river has been received by Harlan I. Smith, Canadian government archeologist here.

Mr. Smith, who is engaged in preserving ancient totem poles and making outdoor museums of them, has checked up on his collections and finds no exhibits in this region missing. A craft was hereby immediately to all persons along the Skeena river below Vanarsdol to look out for the traveling pole and, if possible, to rescue it and notify Mr. Smith.

Federal authorities now protect Indian monuments, Mr. Smith points out, so that it is unlawful to take such an object without permission or to mutilate or destroy it.

Long Red Hair on Coat Causes Divorce Action

New York.—Mrs. Ethel Quayle expects to win her divorce suit against Frank J. Quayle, hotel proprietor, by a hair—a red hair. Mrs. Quayle's hair is not red, so when she found a strand of that hue on her husband's coat lapel she hired detectives to shadow him.

According to the divorce papers she served on him, the detectives trailed Quayle and a young woman to a house in Brooklyn one evening last month. Came the dawn, and they summoned Mrs. Quayle and three aides of friends and relatives for witnesses.

The young woman with the hotel man, it is charged, had red hair.

HOME TOWN HENRY

A FEW FOLKS TRADING OUT TOWN AIN'T NO CAUSE FOR ALARM IN THE DAYS OF ANCIENT ROME, A FEW OF THE NATIVES TRADED IN CARTHAGE AND NOW NEW YORK STOREKEEPERS COMPLAIN THAT SOME OF THEIR BEST CUSTOMERS ARE RAISING OVER TO PARIS TO SHOP— SO A LITTLE OF THIS DON'T MEAN TH' HOME TOWN IS GOIN' ON TH' ROCKS

HOME TOWN HENRY

"HOMETOWN HENRY'S THAT'S ME! AFTER GROPIN' THROUGH THE FOGS OF LONDON, MIXING THE WICKED NIGHT LIFE OF PARIS, BEING ROBBED, RUN OVER, BLUSHED AND HIGH-HATTED IN EVERY LARGE CITY IN AMERICA, GIVE ME MY OWN HOME TOWN, WHERE LIFE IS WORTH LIVING!! I KNOW WHEN I AM WELL OFF!

Smocked Peasant Frocks Grace the Style Pageant

In the pageantry of spring frocks none are lovelier than those which reflect the peasant influence, meaning smocking and elaborate embroidery as you see in the picture. The handsomest models are of crepe de chine.

Wings Used to Get Heat of Stars

Washington.—Cupping an instrument so delicate that it is believed it could measure the heat of a match 5,000 miles away if no atmosphere intervened, Dr. Charles G. Abbot, acting secretary of the Smithsonian institution, has started for Mount Wilson, Calif., to continue the measurement of the heat of the stars.

The instrument, so frail that its fine wings are used in its make-up, is described as an improved radiometer, ten times more sensitive than the one used by Doctor Abbot in 1923 when he made the first determinations of the heat spectrum of ten of the brighter stars other than the sun in the history of astronomy.

The Smithsonian official also plans to visit the solar radiation observatory on Table mountain in California, where daily observations of the variations of sunshine are being made in cooperation with stations in Chile and Southwest Africa to determine the sun's influence upon weather conditions.

COME TO BROOKNEAL FOR YOUR TOBACCO FLUES. We will keep a complete stock through the entire season and can fill all orders promptly.

C. S. STEPHENS FURNITURE Co.
7-28 4t Brookneal, Va.

VIRGINIA—
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF APPOMATTOX.
Ida Davis—In the matter of the estate of Sallie Davis, deceased.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the undersigned, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, Virginia, that the whereabouts of Ida Davis, a defendant in the above entitled cause, is unknown, and that she is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within fifteen days after due publication hereof, and in such manner as may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Times-Virginian, a newspaper published in the County of Appomattox and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of said County on or before the 4th day of Sept. 1927, being the first succeeding rule-day after this order was entered.

A copy—Teste:
C W Smith, Clerk.
A H Clement, p q 8-18 4t

Subscribe to The Times-Virginian

Columbia Vivi-Tonal RECORDS

15161-D. I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles. Till We Meet Again. (Vocal Duets, Bob Nichols and Riley Puckett.

15159-D. Life's Railway to Heaven. Jesus Prayed. (Smith's Sacred Singers)

935-D Two Black Crows, Parts one and two by Moran and Mack.

Lester B. Harvey
Appomattox, Va.

Quality PRINTING

When you are in need of anything in the line of printing call by and let us quote you our prices.

Letterheads Statements
Envelopes Shipping Tags
Circulars Cards
Folders Dodgers

Quick Service at the Right Price

Times-Virginian
Printers and Publishers
APPOMATTOX, VA.

The Maryland Life Insurance Company

characteristic of its long an enviable record for liberality in dealing with its policyholders has set aside the month of July as

POLICYHOLDER'S MONTH

and in honor thereof will consider application for life insurance WITHOUT MEDICAL EXAMINATION from many of its present policyholders who have been passed for insurance by the company during the past three years.

This is an unusual opportunity and we hope you will take advantage of it.

J. A. Burke & Co.
General Insurance Agency
Appomattox, Va.

A New Comfort GAUZETS

Gauzets

49c

Box of One Dozen

Here are the features of this exclusive product.

1. Velvet edges prevent irritation.
2. Under layer protects clothing.
3. Highly absorbent.
4. Easily disposed of.
5. Cool and light.
6. Affords perfect protection.

Just ask for Gauzets

CHAS. F JAMES

The Rexall Store

VIRGINIA STATE FAIR
RICHMOND OCT. 3RD TO 8TH

Entire Week—Six Days and Nights
Twenty-Second Annual Exposition
"Virginia's Greatest Event"

$100,000 in Purses, Premiums and Outdoor Attractions

Plan now to win some of the handsome cash premiums, scholarships, silver cups and ribbons offered for Cattle, Sheep, Horses, Swine, Poultry, Farm Products, Boys' and Girls' Club Work, Women's Work, etc. The Virginia Fair is recognized as the leading exposition in the Southeast and high honor goes to its prize winners.

Write For Free Premium Catalog
telling what and how to exhibit. (Entries close September 17th)

Mammoth Free Entertainment Program—Four Days of Races—Magnificent Fireworks Spectacle Every Night—All New Features

VIRGINIA STATE FAIR ASSOCIATION
Mutual Bldg., Richmond, Va.

Special Sales Prices

On goods that we do not want to carry over into another season

THOMAS & OSBORNE MOWERS
BALL BEARING LAWN MOWERS
SHARPLES CREAM SEPARATORS
FOUR BURNER OIL STOVES

All inquiries and orders received through mail shall have our prompt attention.

The Lynchburg Implement Co., Inc.
1211-13-15 Main Street, Lynchburg, Va.

N&W Norfolk & Western

Schedule Effective Nov. 21, 1926
Lve Appomattox, Virginia.

WESTBOUND

[illegible] a. m.—For Cincinnati, Columbus and principal intermediate points. Sleeper for Columbus Cincinnati and Chicago. Dining car.

[illegible] p. m.—For Bristol, Roanoke and Intermediate stations. Sleeper for Cincinnati. Dining car.

[illegible] p. m.—Local for Lynchburg, Roanoke, Bristol

EASTBOUND

[illegible] a. m.—For Norfolk and principal intermediate stations.

[illegible] p. m.—Local for Richmond and Norfolk.

[illegible] p. m.—For Richmond, Petersburg and intermediate stations. Tarboro car. Diner.

For detailed information as to schedules rates, etc., apply to ticket agent, or write

J. N. O. L. BRADEN, Gen. Pass. Agent,
Roanoke, Va.

COME TO BROOKNEAL FOR YOUR TOBACCO FLUES. We will keep a complete stock through the entire season and can fill all orders promptly.

C. S. STEPHENS FURNITURE Co.
7-28 4t Brookneal, Va.

CLASSIFIED

[illegible] FOR SALE—[illegible] one and [illegible] years old. [illegible] Clem [illegible]

FARM FOR SALE—No. 2 [illegible] miles from Appomattox. [illegible] A. H. CLEMENT, Agent.

TOWN LOTS—I have some nice [illegible] for sale on [illegible] terms. [illegible]

[illegible] to any [illegible] in search of [illegible] to [illegible] you [illegible] to [illegible] you [illegible] to [illegible] you